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Hon. Commissioner  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

New York, New York  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [ ] Preliminary Amendment; [x] Amendment and Reply to Office Action; [x] Exhibit A - Appendix of Amendments; [ ] Supplemental Amendment; [ ] a substitute Specification; [ ] a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132; [ ] a Supplemental Declaration; [ ] a Power of Attorney; [ ] an Associate Power of Attorney; and [ ] formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

[x] A fee for additional claims is not required.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	-	=	0 X \$ 18	= \$ 0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	-	=	0 X \$ 80	= \$ 0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$270 = \$ 0
				TOTAL <u>\$ 0</u>

- A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
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EXTENSION FEE

- The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith;  \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);  \$390.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);  \$890.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);  \$1390.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a);  \$1890.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

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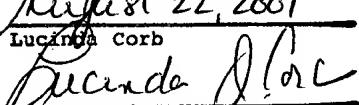
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